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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01-481-D)

In the Application of:

Needleman

Serial No. 09/898,772

Filed: July 2, 2001

For: Method of Using Inhibitors Cyclooxygenase-2
in the Prevention and Treatment of Dementia

Examiner: S. Wang

Art Unit: 1617

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Box AF
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Response to Office Action mailed on January 8, 2003;
 - b) Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
 - c) Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
 - a) No fee is required.
 - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box AF, Washington, D.C. 20231 on March 6, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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